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1. SUMMARY: AT THE FIRST MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL EVER HELD AT THE SUMMIT LEVEL, HEADS OF STATE, HEADS OF GOVERNMENT OR FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE FIFTEEN SC MEMBER STATES, INCLUDING PRESIDENT BUSH, SPOKE OF THEIR VIEWS OF THE UN AND THE WORLD IN THE 1990'S. AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE AFTERNOON SESSION, BRITISH PRIME MINISTER JOHN MAJOR, WHO PRESIDED OVER THE TWO SESSIONS

OF THE 3846TH MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON THE FINAL DAY OF THE UK'S MONTH-LONG COUNCIL PRESIDENCY ROTATION, MADE A STATEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL (SEPTEL) WHICH, INTER ALIA, CALLED ON THE UN SG TO PREPARE A REPORT BY JULY 1 ON WAYS OF STRENGTHENING THE UN'S PEACEKEEPING AND PEACEMAKING ROLE.

2. PARTICIPANTS IN THE SC SUMMIT WERE:
AUSTRIA - CHANCELLOR FRANZ VRANITZKY,
BELGIUM - PRIME MINISTER WILFRIED MARTENS,
CAPE VERDE - PRIME MINISTER CARLOS ALBERTO WAHNON DE
-- CARVALHO VEIGA,
CHINA - PREMIER LI PENG
ECUADOR - PRESIDENT RODRIGO BORJA-CEVALLOS
FRANCE - PRESIDENT FRANCOIS MITTERRAND
HUNGARY - FOREIGN MINISTER AND PERSONAL EMISSARY
-- OF THE PRIME MINISTER GÉZA JESZENSKY
INDIA - PRIME MINISTER P. V. KARASIMMA RAO
JAPAN - PRIME MINISTER KICHI MIYAZAWA
MOROCCO - KING HASSAN II
RUSSIAN FEDERATION - PRESIDENT BORIS N. YELTSIN
UNITED KINGDOM - PRIME MINISTER JOHN MAJOR
UNITED STATES - PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH
VENEZUELA - PRESIDENT CARLOS ANDRES PEREZ
ZIMBABWE - FOREIGN MINISTER AND PERSONAL EMISSARY
-- OF THE PRESIDENT WATHMAN SHAMUYARIRA
UN - SECRETARY-GENERAL BOUTROS-GHALI

SUMMARIES OF SPEECHES FOLLOW. END SUMMARY

2. BRITISH PM MAJOR, IN HIS CAPACITY AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT, WELCOMED THE PARTICIPANTS TO THE MEETING WHICH, HE SAID, WAS INTENDED TO SERVE FOUR IMPORTANT PURPOSES: TO GIVE NEW UN SECRETARY GENERAL BOUTROS-GHALI THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S FULL BACKING IN CARRYING OUT HIS MANDATE; TO REAFFIRM THE COUNCIL'S ATTACHMENT TO

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THE PRINCIPLE OF COLLECTIVE SECURITY AND TO SEND A CLEAR SIGNAL THAT IT IS THROUGH THE UN AND THE COUNCIL THAT THE MEMBERS INTEND TO DEAL WITH THREATS TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY; TO CONSIDER HOW BEST TO UPDATE AND DEVELOP MEANS, INCLUDING PREVENTIVE ACTION AND PEACEMAKING, BY WHICH COLLECTIVE SECURITY IS UPHELD; AND, FINALLY, TO COMMIT THE MEMBERSHIP AKEW TO UPHOLDING INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY THROUGH REINFORCED MEASURES OF ARMS CONTROL.

UN SG

3. TAKING THE FLOOR NEXT, SG BOUTROS-GHALI OPINED THAT THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE DAY'S SUMMIT EXCEEDED, AND INDEED ENHANCED, ITS SYMBOLIC VALUE. WHAT SHAPE THE EMERGING WORLD ORDER WILL TAKE, WHAT DEFENSES WILL BE BUILT AGAINST ANARCHY AND TERRORISM, AND HOW ENTRENCHED INEQUITIES CAN BE REMOVED DEPENDED GREATLY ON THE WISDOM, FORESIGHT AND COMPASSION OF THE WORLD'S LEADERSHIP. CONSEQUENTLY, HE SUGGESTED THAT IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE FOR THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO CONTINUE TO MEET AT THE SUMMIT LEVEL PERIODICALLY TO TAKE STOCK OF THE STATE OF THE WORLD. SUCH MEETINGS, HE FELT, WOULD STRENGTHEN THE TONE AND AUTHORITY OF THE UN.

4. WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THE CONTOURS OF THE NEW GLOBAL ORDER ARE NOT YET CLEARLY PERCEIVABLE, NONETHELESS, BOUTROS-GHALI SAID, THE FOLLOWING LESSONS ARE ALREADY BEING DRIVEN HOME:

-- DEMOCRATIZATION AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL DICTATES A CORRESPONDING PROCESS AT THE GLOBAL LEVEL. GHALI SAID AT THE WORLD LEVEL THIS MEANT THE DEMOCRATIZATION OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND THE PARTICIPATION OF ALL STATES IN DEVELOPING NEW NORMS OF INTERNATIONAL LIFE. SMALL STATES CAN PLAY LARGE CONSTRUCTIVE ROLES, HE EXPLAINED, ADDING THAT WHERE SUCH PARTICIPATION IS NOT

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FULLY FORTHCOMING, IT NEEDS TO BE ENCOURAGED.

-- DEMOCRATIZATION ALONE, HOWEVER, CANNOT SOLVE ALL THE WORLD'S PROBLEMS. THE NOURISHING SOIL OF PEACE, SECURITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WAS REQUIRED. NEW WAYS OF PREVENTING BOTH INTERNAL DISPUTES AND INTERSTATE CONFRONTATIONS, HE SAID, THEREFORE, NEED TO BE DEVELOPED.

-- STATE SOVEREIGNTY HAD TAKEN ON A NEW MEANING IN THE CONTEXT OF RECENT WORLD EVENTS. THE SGY POSITED THAT WHILE VIOLATION OF STATE SOVEREIGNTY IS AN OFFENSE AGAINST THE GLOBAL ORDER, SOVEREIGNTY'S MISUSE ALSO MAY UNDERMINE HUMAN RIGHTS AND JEOPARDIZE GLOBAL LIFE. HE DECLARED THAT THE WORLD CAN NO LONGER REMAIN INDIFFERENT TO THE CARNAGE INFILCTED BY CIVIL WARS. HE CRITICIZED THE "MARRON NATIONALISM" THAT OPPOSED OR DISREGARDED THE NORMS OF A STABLE INTERNATIONAL ORDER AND "MICRO-NATIONALISM" WHICH RESISTED HEALTHY ECONOMIC OR POLITICAL INTEGRATION.

5. WARNING THAT THE FEVERS OF NATIONALISM COULD INCREASE AS INFINITE BOUTROS-GALI SAID THE UN MUST BE PREPARED TO RESPOND TO THE IRREDENTIST AND PRO-AUTONOMY SCHEMES OF ETHNIC AND CULTURAL COMMUNITIES. AS PART OF THE EFFORT TO REDUCE THE CHANCES OF CONFLICT, THE UN MUST DEVELOP THE CAPABILITY TO PINPOINT POTENTIAL CONFLICTS. THIS WILL REQUIRE BETTER MEANS OF OBSERVATION AND COMMUNICATION AS WELL AS SUFFICIENT FINANCIAL FUNDING. THE SGY CONCLUDED WITH A REMINDER THAT THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD EXPECT THE UN AND ITS MEMBERS TO ACT; "THAT WE TRANSCEND OUR RIVALRIES WITH CONCILIATION AND DIALOGUE."

FRANCE

6. PRESIDENT MITERRAND OF FRANCE OPENED BY REMINDING THE PARTICIPANTS THAT HE HAD ASKED FOR SUCH A SUMMIT AT THE END OF THE GULF WAR IN ORDER TO DEFINE THE ROLE OF

THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, SAYING THAT THE FIRST RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS TO PREVENT "WAR, EXODUS, AND TERRORISM." THE FRENCH PRESIDENT OFFERED THE FOLLOWING THOUGHTS FOR ENHANCING GLOBAL SECURITY DURING A PERIOD OF WORLD CRISIS:

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-- ARMS CONTROL: MITERRAND SAID ARMS TRANSFERS MUST BE REDUCED. HE URGED ALL STATES TO SIGN THE TREATY BANNING CHEMICAL WEAPONS AND RECALLED THAT FRANCE WAS IN THE PROCESS OF RATIFYING THE NPT. HE DID CAUTION, HOWEVER, THAT WHILE THE NUCLEAR POWERS MUST ENGAGE IN NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT, THEY MUST ALSO ENSURE THAT THEIR SECURITY IS SAFEGUARDED. CONSEQUENTLY, LARGE DIFFERENCES IN THE RESPECTIVE NUCLEAR ARMS HOLDINGS OF THOSE STATES WERE TO BE AVOIDED.

-- ENVIRONMENT: MITERRAND SAID THE UPCOMING UN CONFERENCE ON ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT MUST ADOPT A BROAD VIEW WHICH CONSIDERED BOTH THE NEED TO PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT AS WELL AS THE RIGHT OF PEOPLES TO MAKE ECONOMIC PROGRESS.

-- DEMOCRACY: MITERRAND, IN A FORCED BIT OF LOGIC, SAID THAT DEMOCRACY BEGINS IN THE SCHOOLS AND "THUS THE ROLE OF UNESCO." HE URGED ALL STATES WHICH HAD WITHDRAWN FROM THAT ORGANIZATION TO RETURN.

-- COLLECTIVE SECURITY: MITERRAND ANNOUNCED THAT FRANCE WAS READY TO MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE UN "WITHIN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS" NOTICE A 1800-MAN CONTINGENT TO PARTICIPATE IN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS. HE PROPOSED IN

ADDITION THAT THE UN MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE BE REVITALIZED. THE FRENCH PRESIDENT ALSO URGED MEMBER STATES TO PAY UP THEIR UN ARREARAGES.

-- DISARMAMENT AND DEVELOPMENT: THE FRENCH PRESIDENT CALLED FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF REGIONAL FUNDS WHICH WOULD ASSIST STATES, PARTICULARLY THOSE OF THE FORMER U.S.S.R., TO CONVERT FROM MILITARY TO CIVILIAN PRODUCTION.

-- NORTH-SOUTH ISSUES: MITERRAND SUGGESTED THAT THE PROBLEMS OF THOSE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES WHICH ARE

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EXPERIENCING REAL AND MULTIFACETED ECONOMIC PROGRESS
SHOULD BE DEALT WITH SEPARATELY THAN THOSE WHICH ARE
MAKING NO HEADWAY. FOR THE FORMER, HE URGED PRIVATE
INVESTMENT AND GOVERNMENTAL AID WHILE FOR THE LATTER HE
PROPOSED THAT THE ISSUE OF PRIMARY COMMODITIES BE
EXAMINED WITH AN EYE TOWARD REDUCING THE NEGATIVE
EFFECTS OF COMMODITIES SPECULATION.

-- SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT: HE PROPOSED A WORLD SUMMIT ON
SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT.

ECUADOR

7. ECUADORAN PRESIDENT RODRIGO BORJA-CEVALLOS DEVOTED
HIS STATEMENT LARGELY TO A PHILOSOPHICAL EXAMINATION OF
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WHICH HE TERMED THE MOST IMPORTANT
ISSUE FACING THE WORLD TODAY. REFERRING TO ROUSSEAU AND
OTHER PHILOSOPHES, HE ARGUED THAT THE WORLD'S PEOPLE HAD
ARRIVED AT A STAGE WHERE THE QUALITY OF LIFE, INCLUDING
HUMAN RIGHTS, HUMAN FREEDOM, CULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT,
HAD TAKEN ON GREATER IMPORTANCE THAN PURE QUANTITATIVE
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. THREATENING THIS QUALITY OF LIFE,
HOWEVER, WERE THE CONTINUING PROBLEMS OF WAR,
XENOPHOBIA, RACISM AND "SENSELESS" INTERNATIONALISM. IT
HAS MORE IMPORTANCE THAN EVER; THEREFORE, THAT STATES
JOIN IN ORGANIZATIONS TO ADDRESS THESE PROBLEMS.
ASSERTING THAT THE UN'S PRIMARY MISSION WAS TO ESTABLISH
A NEW ORDER IN WHICH THE POORER NATIONS SHARE IN THE
BENEFITS OF GLOBAL PROGRESS, THE ECUADORAN PRESIDENT
CONCLUDED BY URGING THE UN TO TAKE A LEADING ROLE IN
TRANSFERRING TO HUMAN DEVELOPMENT THE ECONOMIC RESOURCES
WHICH HAVE BEEN RELEASED AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE END OF
THE COLD WAR.

MOROCCO

8. KING HASSAN, SPEAKING ON BEHALF OF ARABS AND
AFRICANS, STRESSED THE USE OF PREVENTIVE DIPLOMACY,
DIALOGUE AND MEDIATION TO PREVENT ARMED CONFLICTS. HE
ENCOURAGED UN REFORM, LOOKING FORWARD TO CONCRETE
PROPOSALS FOR STRENGTHENING THE ORGANS OF THE UN AND
IMPROVING THEIR FUNCTIONING. HE ADVOCATED DISARMAMENT,
NOT ONLY IN THE NUCLEAR FIELD, BUT ALSO OF CHEMICAL

WEAPONS THROUGH THE GENEVA TREATY. THE KING CITED
UNDERDEVELOPMENT AS THE GREATEST CHALLENGE FACING THE
INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY, REFERRING SPECIFICALLY TO THE
ECONOMIC PROBLEMS OF AFRICA. HE ALSO TOOK THE OCCASION
TO MENTION THAT MOROCCO HAD NOT "FOUND THE UNDERSTANDING
TO WHICH IT IS ENTITLED" WITHIN THE ORGANIZATION OF
AFRICAN UNITY (OAU).

9. KING HASSAN WENT ON TO MENTION THE NEED FOR THE
INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY TO RESOLVE THE PLIGHT OF THE
PALESTINIANS. HE SPECIFICALLY MENTIONED THE STATUS OF
JERUSALEM, THE WITHDRAWAL OF ISRAEL FROM OCCUPIED
TERRITORIES, AND THE RETURN OF REFUGEES TO THEIR
HOMELAND. THE KING ALSO NOTED THE IMPORTANCE OF HUMAN
RIGHTS AND MOROCCO'S CENTURIES-OLD TRADITION OF
RESPECTING HUMAN DIGNITY.

RUSSIAN FEDERATION

10. ON DISARMAMENT, BORIS YELTSIN CALLED FOR DEEP CUTS
IN STRATEGIC DEFENSIVE ARMS AND NUCLEAR WEAPONS LEADING
TO A POLICY OF MINIMUM DEFENSE, AS WELL AS REDUCTION OF
CHEMICAL AND BACTERIOLOGICAL WEAPONS AND WEAPONS OF MASS
DESTRUCTION. HE ACKNOWLEDGED RUSSIA'S RESPONSIBILITIES

TOWARDS NUCLEAR PHYSICISTS AND PROMISED TO SET UP
CENTERS OF RESEARCH TO KEEP THEM OCCUPIED. HE PROPOSED
A GLOBAL SYSTEM OF DEFENSE, USING RUSSIAN ADVANCED
TECHNOLOGY TO REORIENT SDI. HE ALSO PROPOSED A
PAN-EUROPEAN COLLECTIVE SECURITY SYSTEM UNDER THE
AUSPICES OF CSCE, SINCE THE U.S. AND THE WEST CAN NOW BE
CONSIDERED RUSSIA'S ALLIES. YELTSIN REITERATED THAT THE
COMMONWEALTH WAS WORKING ON A SINGLE COMMAND TO PROVIDE
UNIFIED CONTROL OF THEIR NUCLEAR ARMS.

11. YELTSIN UNDERLINED THE IMPORTANCE TO THE ENTIRE
WORLD OF THE SUCCESS OF ECONOMIC REFORM IN RUSSIA.

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POINTING OUT THE NEED FOR LEGAL, POLITICAL AND SOCIOECONOMIC GUARANTEES TO ENSURE THE CHANGES TOWARDS DEMOCRACY WILL BE PERMANENT. HE INDICATED THAT RUSSIA WOULD SOON HAVE LEGISLATION PROTECTING HUMAN FREEDOM, HONOR AND DIGNITY. HE SAID THAT WITH THE RECENT RELEASE OF THE LAST POLITICAL PRISONERS, THERE WERE NO MORE PRISONERS OF CONSCIENCE IN RUSSIA. HE ALSO TOUCHED ON THE IMPORTANCE OF THE UNHCR AND INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS

ON MIGRATION. HE NOTED THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAD A RESPONSIBILITY TO UPHOLD HUMAN RIGHTS.

12. YELTSIN ENDORSED THE RAPID RESPONSE MECHANISM ADVOCATED BY PRESIDENT MITTERRAUD TO DEAL WITH CRISIS SITUATIONS. HE AFFIRMED THAT RUSSIA WOULD BE MORE ENGAGED IN PEACEKEEPING, INCLUDING YUGOSLAVIA, AFGHANISTAN, THE NEAR AND MIDDLE EAST, CAMBODIA, AND OTHERS. HE CALLED FOR INCREASED UTILIZATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE (ICJ) TO ACCOMPLISH THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES. HE CHARACTERIZED THE WAR AGAINST IRAQ AS "JUST PUNISHMENT OF AN AGGRESSOR."

13. YELTSIN SUPPORTED UN REFORM, CALLING FOR THE ELIMINATION OF UN ACTIVITIES WHICH WERE UNPRODUCTIVE AND IRRELEVANT. HE OFFERED THAT RUSSIA WOULD MAKE PROPOSALS IN THAT REGARD IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

UNITED STATES

14. IN A PRESENTATION REAFFIRMING US SUPPORT FOR A STRONG, ACTIVE UN, PRESIDENT BUSH PRAISED THE UN'S EFFORTS TOWARDS PEACE IN THE FIELDS OF PEACEKEEPING, PEACEMAKING AND PREVENTIVE DIPLOMACY. IN EMPHASIZING THE UNIVERSAL APPLICABILITY OF HUMAN RIGHTS, HE POINTED OUT THAT TRUE DEMOCRACY INVOLVED RECOGNIZING THE SANCTITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL AGAINST THE UNJUST POWER OF THE STATE AND A RESPECT FOR MINORITY RIGHTS, RATHER THAN THE MERE HOLDING OF AN ELECTION.

15. BUSH CALLED FOR A BAN ON CHEMICAL WEAPONS IN 1992 AND POINTED TO THE UNILATERAL STEPS TAKEN BY THE U.S. TO REDUCE NUCLEAR WEAPONS. HE PROMISED THAT HE AND PRESIDENT YELTSIN WOULD SEARCH FOR WAYS TO ACHIEVE FURTHER MUTUAL ARMS REDUCTION. HE RECOGNIZED THE CONTINUED DANGER OF NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION DESPITE THE

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PLEDGE BY CIS STATES TO ABIDE BY THE WPT, PARTICULARLY STRESSING THE NEED TO KEEP NUCLEAR WEAPONS OUT OF THE HANDS OF TERRORISTS OR REBELLION REGIMES.

16. THE PRESIDENT URGED THE COUNCIL TO MAINTAIN SANCTIONS AGAINST IRAQ, AND SADDAM HUSSEIN. HE POINTED OUT THE DANGERS INHERENT IN IRAQ'S CAPABILITY TO BUILD WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION. HE REAFFIRMED THEIR COULD BE NO NORMALIZATION OF RELATIONS WITH IRAQ AS LONG AS HUSSEIN REMAINED IN POWER. THE EVENTS IN THE GULF, HE SAID, SHOWED THAT SECURITY WAS A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY. HE ALSO CALLED UPON LIBYA TO COMPLY WITH THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION PASSED TWO WEEKS AGO DEMANDING THE LIBYANS TURN OVER THOSE ACCUSED IN THE BOMBING OF PAN AM 103.

VENEZUELA

17. PRESIDENT PEREZ NOTED THAT DISARMAMENT WAS NOT EXCLUSIVELY A SUPERPOWER ISSUE, AND CALLED THE COUNCIL'S ATTENTION TO THE DECLARATION OF THE RIO GROUP. HE WENT ON TO SPEAK OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, HUMAN RIGHTS, NORTH/SOUTH RELATIONS, A SUMMIT ON SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT, A SUMMIT ON DRUG

TRAFFICKING, AND UNDERDEVELOPMENT. HE CALLED FOR AN END TO INEQUALITY BETWEEN RICH AND POOR NATIONS, AND underscored the need for enhanced south/south relations.

AUSTRIA

18. CHANCELLOR VRANITZKY NAMED FOUR MAJOR ISSUES: PEACEMAKING AND PEACEKEEPING, DISARMAMENT AND ARMS CONTROL, HUMAN RIGHTS AND DEMOCRACY, AND MEASURES AGAINST POVERTY. HE SUGGESTED THE SC CONSIDER EARLY REACTION TO POTENTIAL CONFLICTS, INCLUDING THE EARLY DEPLOYMENT OF PEACEKEEPING FORCES AT THE REQUEST OF ONLY

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ONE PARTY TO A CONFLICT. HE AFFIRMED THAT INTERNAL CONFLICTS, SUCH AS THAT IN YUGOSLAVIA, COULD HAVE REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL REPERCUSSIONS ON PEACE AND SECURITY.

19. WE NOTED THE NEW RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SC TO PROTECT HUMAN RIGHTS, SUPERVISE ELECTIONS AND ENFORCE PEACE. HE CALLED THE COUNCIL'S ATTENTION TO ARTICLES 43

AND 26 OF THE UN CHARTER. VRANITZKY PRAISED BUSH AND YELTSIN FOR THEIR MILITARY CUTS, CITED THE NEED FOR REDUCTION IN MILITARY BUDGETS AND CHEMICAL WEAPONS, AND LOOKED FORWARD TO A NUCLEAR-FREE WORLD. HE URGED THAT THE IAEA PLAY A CENTRAL ROLE IN THE DESTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. HE ADVISED THAT THE PEACE DIVIDEND COULD BE USED TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT. HE MENTIONED THE IMPORTANCE OF HUMAN RIGHTS, AND CALLED FOR A STRENGTHENING OF THE ICJ. HE CONCLUDED WITH A CALL FOR THE SC TO ACT EVEN-HANDEDLY AND IMPARTIALLY, ON BEHALF OF ALL STATES.

BELGIUM

20. PM MARTENS CALLED FOR REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS ROUTINELY TO BE INCLUDED IN SC CONSIDERATIONS. HE CITED THE EC'S DECISION AT MAASTRICHT TO INCREASE COOPERATION WITH THE SC. HE ALSO MENTIONED THE NEED FOR AN ARMS TRANSFER REGISTER AND CONTROL OF WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION.

21. HE ENCOURAGED THE SCY TO REACT RAPIDLY TO CONFLICTS BEFORE THEY ESCALATED INTO VIOLENCE. HE CALLED UPON THE SC TO SUPPORT EARLY SCY INITIATIVES IN DELICATE SITUATIONS. HE SUGGESTED MECHANISMS FOR THE SC TO ENSURE THE SCY'S EARLY ENGAGEMENT, SUCH AS REQUESTING AN SCY REPORT ON A SITUATION, ASKING HIM TO CONTACT PARTIES TO A CONFLICT, OR ASKING HIM FOR CONCRETE PROPOSALS TO PREVENT DETERIORATION OF A TENSE SITUATION. MARTENS ADVOCATED CREATION OF BUDGETARY RESERVES TO ENSURE THAT

NEEDED FUNDS WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO FINANCE PRELIMINARY STAGES OF PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS. HE ALSO CALLED UPON THE SECRETARIAT TO TIGHTEN ITS MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION. HE STATED THAT BELGIAN TROOPS WOULD BE TRAINED FOR RAPID DEPLOYMENT ON PEACEKEEPING MISSIONS.

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22. MARTENS ENJOINED THE SCY TO FOCUS ON HUMAN RIGHTS AS AN INTERNATIONAL RESPONSIBILITY. HE STATED THE SC SHOULD DEAL WITH VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS. TO FACILITATE THE SUPERVISION OF FREE AND FAIR ELECTIONS, HE RECOMMENDED COMPILING A LIST OF NATIONAL CIVIL SERVANTS WHO COULD BE QUICKLY DEPLOYED FOR ELECTORAL PURPOSES. HE CONCLUDED WITH A CALL FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND A DIALOGUE BETWEEN RICH AND POOR ON HUNGER, DISEASE, ILLITERACY AND POLLUTION.

CAPE VERDE

23. PM VEIGA FOCUSED ON THE PROBLEMS OF HUMAN RIGHTS, THE ENVIRONMENT, POVERTY, UNDERDEVELOPMENT, AND ARMS CONTROL. HE PRAISED THE ACTION OF THE SC IN RESTORING KUWAIT'S INDEPENDENCE, AND POINTED OUT THE SC WAS THE GUARDIAN OF SECURITY FOR SMALL NATIONS. HE STRESSED THAT CONSENSUS WITHIN THE COUNCIL WOULD ENHANCE THE SC'S CREDIBILITY. HE URGED THAT THE COUNCIL REACT EVENHANDEDLY TO AGGRESSION AND NOT IMPLEMENT RESOLUTIONS SELECTIVELY. VEIGA ARGUED THAT NATIONAL CONFLICTS DEMAND A RESPONSE BY THE SC, SINCE THEY EXTAILED LOSS OF LIFE AND CREATION OF REFUGEES. HE MENTIONED POVERTY, UNDERDEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS AS THE ROOT CAUSES OF INSTABILITY, AND CALLED FOR A WORLD CONFERENCE ON SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT.

CHINA

24. PM LI PENG OBSERVED THAT THE END OF THE COLD WAR HAS GIVEN THE SC A GREATER ROLE IN PRESERVING INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY. HE NOTED THAT IN CONTRAST TO THE TURBULENCE IN EUROPE RESULTING FROM ETHNIC STRIFE, ASIA AND THE PACIFIC ARE STABLE. THE CAMBODIAN PEACE PROCESS IS ON TRACK AND THE SITUATION IN THE KOREAN PENINSULA IS MOVING TOWARDS RELAXATION AND STABILITY. HE POINTED OUT THAT MANY ASIAN STATES ENJOY

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HIGH ECONOMIC GROWTH DUE TO STABILITY AT HOME.

25. LI PENG SAID THAT CHINA HAS POLITICAL STABILITY, SOCIAL HARMONY AND SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC GROWTH. HE OBSERVED THAT CHINA UNDERSTOOD MODERNIZATION WILL TAKE A LONG TIME AND REQUIRE EXTENDED INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND TRANQUILITY AT HOME.

26. LI PENG STRESSED THAT ALL SHOULD RESPECT THE SOVEREIGNTY OF MEMBER STATES AND THE PRINCIPLE OF NON-INTERFERENCE IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS. HE AFFIRMED THAT PEOPLES AND GOVERNMENTS ARE ENTITLED TO ADOPT THE SOCIAL SYSTEM AND IDENTIFY OF THEIR OWN CHOICE. HUMAN RIGHTS SHOULD BE UNIVERSALLY RESPECTED, HE ARGUED, BUT HUMAN RIGHTS INCLUDE NOT ONLY CIVIL AND POLITICAL RIGHTS BUT ALSO ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL RIGHTS. HE SAID HUMAN RIGHTS MUST BE VIEWED WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF EACH COUNTRY AND THAT IT IS NOT APPROPRIATE TO DEMAND THAT ALL COUNTRIES LIVE UP TO THE STANDARDS OF A SMALL GROUP OF STATES. HE EXPRESSED HIS OPPOSITION TO THE USE OF HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS AS AN EXCUSE TO INTERFERE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF STATES.

INDIA

27. INDIA PM RAO SAID THAT THE ACTIONS OF THE SC MUST FLOW FROM THE COLLECTIVE WILL OF THE WORLD COMMUNITY, NOT JUST FROM THE VIEWS OF A FEW MEMBERS STATES. HE ARGUED THAT SINCE THE SIZE OF THE UNGA HAS TREBLED THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL CAN NOT REMAIN CONSTANT. RAO ALSO POINTED OUT THAT ECONOMIC SANCTIONS AGAINST ONE COUNTRY MAY HAVE CATASTROPHIC CONSEQUENCES FOR ITS TRADING PARTNERS AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL MUST TAKE STEPS TO DEAL WITH THE SUFFERING CAUSED BY SUCH SANCTIONS.

28. RAO STRESSED THAT THERE MUST BE A BALANCE BETWEEN THE DEFENSE OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE DEFENSE OF NATIONAL

INTEGRITY. HE CRITICIZED THOSE WHO DEFEND THE HUMAN RIGHTS OF TERRORISTS WHILE PUTTING GOVERNMENTS IN THE DOCK FOR SUPPOSED HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS.

29. TURNING TO THE ISSUE OF DISARMAMENT RAO SAID THAT REGIONAL ARRANGEMENTS ARE NOT SUFFICIENT TO DEAL WITH

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THE PROBLEMS OF NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION. HE CALLED FOR A GLOBAL APPROACH TO NON-PROLIFERATION LINKED TO COMPLETE NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT BY THE END OF THIS CENTURY AND RECALLED THE ACTION PLAN OF FORMER PM RAJIV GANDHI FOR NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT. IN THAT REGARD, HE POINTED OUT THAT INDIA HAS IN SOME RESPECTS A DIFFERENT POINT OF VIEW ON SOME POINTS IN THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT TO WHICH IT HAD AGREED, AS HIS STATEMENT HAD MADE CLEAR.

JAPAN

38. PM MIYAZAWA PLEDGED TO DO HIS UTMOST TO HAVE THE DIET APPROVE THE NECESSARY LEGISLATION TO ALLOW JAPAN TO PARTICIPATE IN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS. HE OBSERVED THAT THE FUNCTIONS AND COMPOSITION OF UN ORGANS MUST BE ADAPTED TO MAKE THEM MORE EFFECTIVE IN THIS NEW ERA. LOOKING AHEAD TO THE 1995 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UN, MIYAZAWA SUGGESTED THAT A DISCUSSION BEGIN REGARDING INCREASING THE UN'S EFFECTIVENESS, INCLUDING CONSIDERATION OF THE UN'S STRUCTURE AND COMPOSITION. WITH RESPECT TO CONFLICT PREVENTION, HE PROPOSED THAT THE SC SHOULD BE GIVEN SUFFICIENT INFORMATION REGARDING TENSIONS WHICH COULD ESCALATE INTO AN INTERNATIONAL CONFLICTS. HE NOTED IT WOULD BE USEFUL IF COUNTRIES

WITH SOPHISTICATED INFORMATION GATHERING CAPABILITIES WOULD PROVIDE INFORMATION TO THE SC.

31. MIYAZAWA STRESSED THAT A SOUND FINANCIAL BASE IS ESSENTIAL FOR THE UN TO EFFECTIVELY DISCHARGE ITS FUNCTIONS. HE POINTED OUT THAT AS OF THE END OF 1991 ABOUT 800 MILLION US DOLLARS OF ASSESSED CONTRIBUTIONS ARE STILL OUTSTANDING. HE ADDED THAT THE UN NEEDS TO OBTAIN FUNDS FOR PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS AT AN EARLY STAGE AND URGED COUNTRIES TO MAKE AN VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PEACEKEEPING TRUST FUND.

37. MIYAZAWA WELCOMED THE DISARMAMENT PROPOSALS

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RECENTLY PUT FORWARD RESPECTIVELY BY PRESIDENTS BUSH AND YELTIN. HE CALLED UPON SECURITY COUNCIL MEMBERS TO WORK TO ENSURE THE SMOOTH IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UN REGISTRY OF ARMS TRANSFERS. HE SAID THE FUNCTIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE SHOULD BE ENHANCED. HE NOTED THAT THE NORTH/ SOUTH GAP WAS A THREAT TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE. MIYAZAWA SAID THAT IN ADDITION TO MILITARY THREATS TO PEACE AND SECURITY THE SECRETARY

GENERAL SHOULD BRING TO THE ATTENTION OF THE APPROPRIATE UN ORGANS SUCH NON-MILITARY THREATS TO PEACE AND SECURITY AS THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS AND INCREASING POVERTY.

HUNGARY

35. JESZENSKY SAID THE CREATION OF A UN FORCE WHICH COULD BE DEPLOYED ON SHORT NOTICE MERITED STUDY, AS WELL AS A SUMMIT ON SOCIAL QUESTIONS. HE ADDED THAT EASTERN EUROPE FACED A CRITICAL TASK OF HUMAN RECONVERSION: THE RETRAINING OF SOLDIERS, WEAPONS SCIENTISTS AND OTHERS FOR PRODUCTIVE LIVES IN PEACEFUL, DEMOCRATIC SOCIETIES.

ZIMBABWE

36. ZIMBABWE'S FM KATHAN SHAMUYARIRA SAID THE OAU LOOKS TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO DEMOCRATIZE THE INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM. HE ARGUED THAT THE UN CHARTER MUST BE RE-EXAMINED CLOSELY TO REFLECT NEW CIRCUMSTANCES. HE NOTED THAT THE SC HAS APPROVED PEACE KEEPING FORCES OF TYPES NEVER CONSIDERED IN THE CHARTER SO THE CASE FOR REFORM IS URGENT. HE ADDED THAT THE OAU WOULD LIKE TO SEE THE SYG AND THE UN PLAY A GREATER ROLE IN RESOLVING CIVIL STRIFE IN AFRICA. HE ALSO SAID THE SC MUST CONSIDER THE EFFECTS OF ECONOMIC SANCTIONS ON STATES THAT ARE THE TRADING PARTNERS OF THE COUNTRY TARGETED BY THE SANCTIONS ("VICTIM STATES"), AS WELL AS ON INNOCENT CIVILIAN POPULATIONS.

37. SHAMUYARIRA SAID A COLLECTIVE SECURITY SYSTEM LIABLE TO A VETO BY ONE OF THE PERMANENT FIVE IS NOT RELIABLE, SINCE THE SC WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ACT IN CONFLICTS WHERE ONE OF THE PERMANENT FIVE HAVE AN INTEREST. HE PROPOSED THAT PERMANENT FIVE MEMBERS NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN VOTES REGARDING CONFLICT WHERE THEY HAVE AN INTEREST. HE CALLED FOR A GREATER ROLE FOR THE SC'S MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE (MSC), SO THAT FUTURE COLLECTIVE SECURITY EFFORTS ARE MORE ACCOUNTABLE TO THE COUNCIL THAN THE GULF WAR, AND FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE MSC BY NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL.

38. SHAMUYARIRA WELCOMED THE EFFORTS OF THE PERMANENT FIVE

33. FM GEZA JESZENSKY CHARACTERIZED THE OPERATION AGAINST IRAQ AS A LANDMARK IN UN HISTORY, BOTH BECAUSE OF THE LIBERATION OF KUWAIT AND THE HUMANITARIAN OPERATION TO SAVE THE KURDS. RECALLING THE 1956 SOVIET INVASION OF HUNGARY, JESZENSKY SAID THAT THE UN SHOULD NOT LEAVE PEOPLES TO FEND FOR THEMSELVES IN THEIR STRUGGLES FOR SELF-DETERMINATION. CALLING RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE RIGHTS OF MINORITIES AN INTEGRAL PART OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY HE CONCLUDED THAT THE OPERATION AGAINST IRAQ IS A PRECEDENT WHICH DESERVES UNRESERVED SUPPORT.

34. TURNING TO HIS OWN REGION, JESZENSKY NOTED THAT THE COLLAPSE OF THE FORMER USSR HAS RESULTED IN A RUINED ECONOMY, ETHNIC TENSIONS AND A LACK OF CLEAR CONTROLS OVER ITS NUCLEAR ARSENAL. HE EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR THE EFFORTS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CIS TO BUILD TIES TO THE WORLD COMMUNITY AND THE CSCE PROCESS. HE EXPRESSED CONCERN FOR THE PLIGHT OF THOUSANDS OF ETHNIC HUNGARIANS IN YUGOSLAVIA, WHOSE RIGHTS WOULD BE PROTECTED BY THE ESTABLISHMENT OF TERRITORIAL AND CULTURAL AUTONOMIES AS PROPOSED BY LORD CARRINGTON. HE OFFERED HUNGARY'S SUPPORT FOR THE DEPLOYMENT OF A UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN

YUGOSLAVIA AND EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT SUCH A PEACE KEEPING FORCE, COUPLED WITH THE COMPLETE EMBARGO ON ARMS SHIPMENTS, WILL LEAD TO AN OVERALL POLITICAL SETTLEMENT. HE ADDED THAT THE ENTRY OF THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLICS IN THE UN MIGHT HELP BRING ABOUT A SETTLEMENT.

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TO FIND CONSENSUS AND AVOID USING THE VETO. HE
EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE VETO WOULD FALL INTO DISUSE
AND/OR BE ABOLISHED. HE EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR PROPOSALS
TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE SC, NOTING THAT ONE
REGION (I.E., EUROPE) IS CLEARLY OVER-REPRESENTED ON THE
COUNCIL. HE REMOVED THE FACT THAT AFRICA AND LATIN
AMERICA ARE NOT REPRESENTED AMONG THE RANKS OF THE
PERMANENT MEMBERS; AND RECALLED THE OAU PROPOSAL THAT

DISCUSSIONS REGARDING RESTRUCTURING THE UN'S ORGANS
SHOULD TAKE PLACE IN THE UNGA.

39. HE CALLED FOR ALL STATES TO SUPPORT THE UN'S ARMS
TRANSFER REGISTRY AND FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE PARTIAL
TEST BAN INTO A COMPREHENSIVE TEST BAN. HE SAID THE UN
CHARTER ALREADY PROVIDED FOR A SYSTEM OF REGULATION OF
ARMAMENTS, WHICH COULD HAVE BEEN USED TO IN LIEU OF RES.
687 AND WHICH STILL MAY PLAY A ROLE IN THE WIDER
MIDDLE EAST DISARMAMENT PROCESS UNDER RES. 687.

40. WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING THE IMPORTANCE OF HUMAN RIGHTS,
SHAMUYARIRA SAID THAT HUMAN RIGHTS CAN NOT BE USED AS AN
EXCUSE TO INTERFERE IN INTERNAL MATTER OR TO DESTABILIZE
A GOVERNMENT. HE ALSO TOUCHED UPON A SERIES OF HAM
THEMES, INCLUDING THE LINK BETWEEN DISARMAMENT AND
DEVELOPMENT AND THE WIDENING NORTH/SOUTH GAP. HIS
SPEECH HAS FOLLOWED BY PROLONGED APPLAUSE, THE LONGEST
OF THE DAY.

UNITED KINGDOM

41. BRITISH PM MAJOR, SPEAKING LAST IN HIS NATIONAL
CAPACITY, SAID THAT THE SUMMIT WAS TAKING PLACE TO
CELEBRATE THE APPOINTMENT OF THE NEW SC AND THE
CREATION OF A NEW WORLD POWER, RUSSIA, AND ALSO TO
REVITALIZE THE UN MEMBERSHIP'S SENSE OF PURPOSE. MAJOR
PROCEEDED TO TICK OFF A SERIES OF ISSUES WHICH HE SAID
SHOULD BE PART OF THE REVITALIZATION PROCESS INCLUDING:

--HUMANITARIAN INTERVENTION: REFERRING TO THE AFTERMATH
OF THE GULF WAR AND THE PLIGHT OF THE KURDS AND SHI'ITES
UNDER SAUDI HUSSEIN, MAJOR SAID THE UN CANNOT LAY DOWN
THE SHIELD (UNSC RES. 688) WHICH HAS BEEN PROVIDED TO
PROTECT IRAQ'S VULNERABLE COMMUNITIES. MAJOR ADDED THAT
THERE WILL BE OTHER SUCH CRISES ELSEWHERE AND THAT

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PEOPLE EVERYWHERE WILL EXPECT THE UN TO REACT, HE SAID
THAT THE UN COULD AND THAT IT COULD BE DONE WITH FULL
RESPECT FOR CHARTER PRINCIPLES.

--LIBYA: LIBYA MUST RESPOND POSITIVELY TO THE DEMANDS
THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAS MADE OF IT IN SC RES. 731.

--PREVENTATIVE DIPLOMACY: MAJOR SAID THE UNREALIZED
POTENTIAL OF THE UN CHARTER SHOULD BE EXPLOITED IN THIS
FIELD. HE CALLED ON THE NEW SC TO TAKE THE INITIATIVE
IN DRAWING POTENTIAL CONFLICTS TO THE ATTENTION OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL. MAJOR ALSO SUGGESTED THAT
"PEACEMAKING AND PEACEKEEPING" SHOULD RUN IN PARALLEL
AND THAT IT WAS IMPORTANT FOR THE SC TO PRESENT THE
COUNCIL WITH HIS IDEAS ON HOW THIS MAY BE DONE.

--ARMS CONTROL: MAJOR SAID THERE WERE THREE
PRIORITIES. FIRST, WHAT HAS ALREADY BEEN AGREED TO MUST
BE IMPLEMENTED INCLUDING START AND CFE. SECOND, STATES
MUST COMMIT THEMSELVES TO FURTHER MEASURES OF
DISARMAMENT WITH SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE CHEMICAL
WEAPONS CONVENTION. THIRD, EACH STATE MUST ENSURE THAT
IT HAS ARRANGEMENTS IN PLACE TO PREVENT PROLIFERATION
AND TO DISCOURAGE ACCUMULATION OF LETHAL WEAPONS. MAJOR
ANNOUNCED THAT THE UK WAS BEGIN ACTING TO STRENGTHEN

CONTROLS ON THE EXPORT OF SPECIFIC BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS
AND ORGANISMS WHICH COULD BE MISUSED FOR WEAPONS
PURPOSES.

MAJOR CONCLUDED BY NOTING THAT THE 1990'S WILL BE A
DECade OF TRANSFORMATION IN EUROPE MARKED BY THE TASKS
OF REBUILDING ECONOMIES SMOOTHERED BY COMMUNISM, AND IN
ROOTING DEMOCRACY FIRMLY IN THE SOIL OF OPEN POLITICS
AND FREE MARKETS. THE COMMUNIST EMPIRE, SAID MAJOR, HAD
BEQUEATHED A HOST OF POTENTIAL PROBLEMS BETWEEN PEOPLES
AND STATES, PROBLEMS WHICH THE UN CAN PLAY A KEY ROLE IN
RESOLVING THROUGH IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRINCIPLES OF

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THE CHARTER.

THE BRITISH PM THEN, AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT, READ OUT THE
SUMMIT DECLARATION BEFORE ADJOURNING THE MEETING.

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